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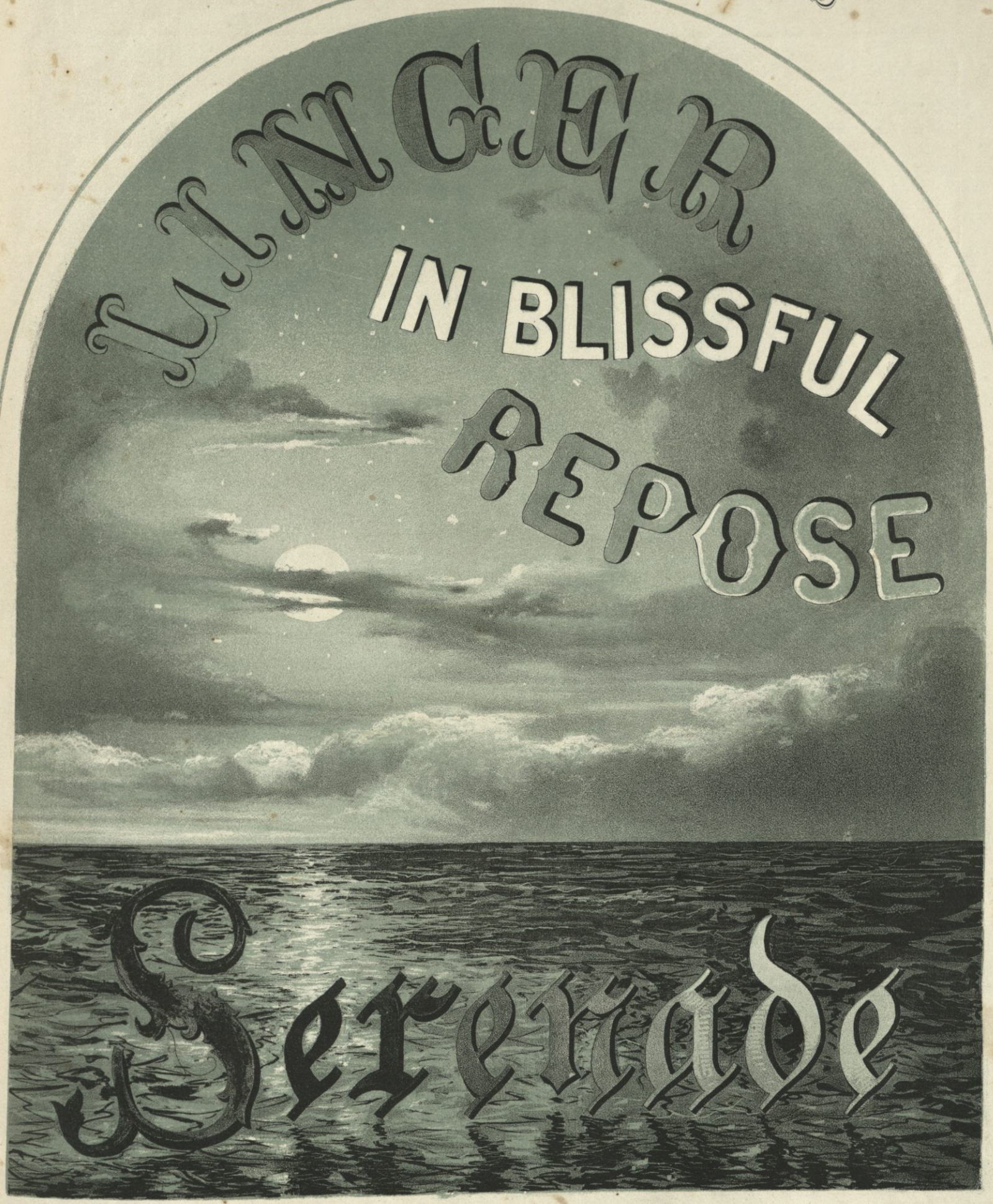

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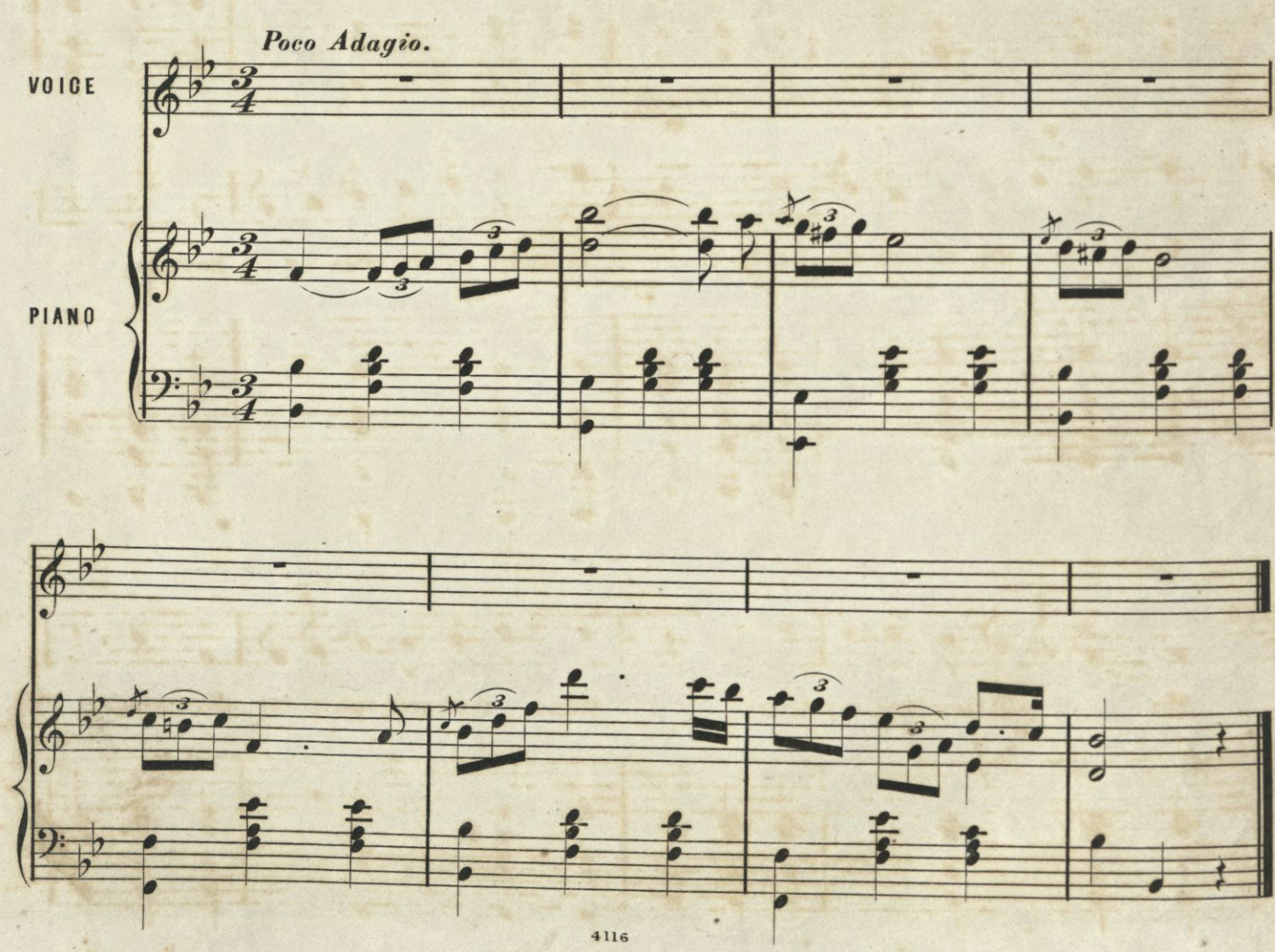

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Lin - - ger in blissful re - pose, Free from all sor-row-ing care love,

While round thee melo-dy flows, Waft - - ed on pinions of air love.

Let not thy visions de - part, Lured by the stars that are beaming,

Mu - - sic will flow from my heart While thy sweet spirit is dreaming.

Dreaming, dreaming, un_ _ fet_tered by the day,

ritard

In mel_o_dy, in mel_o _ dy I'll breathe I'll breathe my soul a _ way.

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SECOND VERSE

Soft _ _ _ ly the night winds are heard, Sigh _ _ ing o'er mountain and dale, love,

Gent _ _ _ ly the va_pors are stirred Down in the sha_dowy vale love.

While o'er the dew covered plain, Star _ light in si_lence is gleaming,

Light _ _ ly I'll breathe a re _ frain Round the young heart that is dreaming.

Dreaming, dreaming, un _ _ fet _ tered by the day,

ritard

In mel_o_dy, in melo _ dy I'll breathe I'll breathe my soul a_way.

CRAVE PAR LAWSON